Implementation of Seveso III Directive and TEIA Convention in Sweden



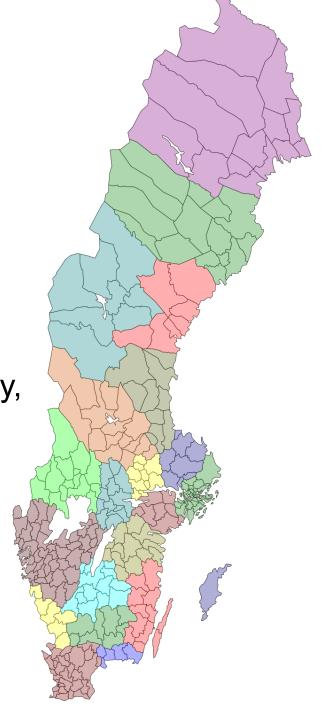
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Sweden

21 Counties with a regional authority,
 County Administrative Board

• 290 Municipalities with a local authority, Rescue services





Upper and lower tier establishments in

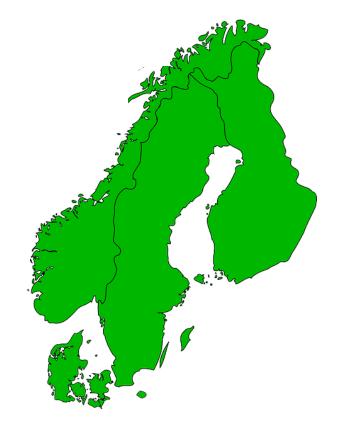
Sweden 2023

• 203 upper tier

 1 establishment covered by the TEIA convention

• 190 lower tier







Structure of Swedish legislation

Riksdagen decides on acts

Primary legislation

The government decides on ordinances

Secondary legislation

Authorities decides on regulations

Guidance



Implementation of The Seveso III-directive and TEIA convention

- Seveso act (SFS 1999:381)
- Seveso ordinance (SFS 2015:236)
- Seveso regulation(MSBFS 2015:8)
- Civil protection act (SFS 2003:778)
- Civil protection ordinance (SFS 2003:789)
- Environmental Code (SFS 1998:808) and ordinance (SFS 1998:899)
- Planning and Building Act (SFS 2010:900) and ordinance (SFS 2011:338)



Implementation in the Swedish Acts

Requirements in the Seveso III directive and TEIA convention	National Legislation	Competent Authority
Fundamental requirements (Identification, prevention, internal emergency plans, preparedness, information to the public, inspections)	The Seveso Act	Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency (MSB)
Environment permit and examination of the safety report (Public consultation and participating in decision-making)	The Environmental Code	Swedish Environmental Protection Agency
Land Use Planning/Decision- making on siting	The Planning and Building Act	National Board of Housing, Building and Planning
External Emergency Planning / Reordering of accidents (Response, notification to affected party)	The Civil Protection Act	Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency (MSB



Main Authorities and Ministries involved

National Authorities	Responsible Ministry
Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency, MSB	Ministry of Defence
Swedish Environmental Protection Agency	The Ministry of Climate and Enterprise
The National Board of Housing, Building and Planning	Ministry of Rural Affairs and Infrastructure
The National Chemicals Inspectorate (KEMI)	The Ministry of Climate and Enterprise
Regional Authorities	
County Administrative Boards	Ministry of Finance
Local Authorities	
The municipality and the Rescue Services	

Obligations for authorities.....

- MSB is the competent authority
 - Implementation of Seveso III directive and TEIA convention
 - National authority for Seveso inspections
- 21 Regional authorities (county administrative boards):
 - Carry out Seveso inspections
- 290 Local Authorities (municipalities)
 - Responsible for external emergency planning
 - Responsible for information to the public
 - Responsible for land use planning
- 5 Courts
 - All upper tier establishments need an environmental permit



Publications

- Safety report
- Major accident prevention policy (MAP) and safety management system (SMS)
- Emergency planning
- Information to the public
- Inspection plans

